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This requests a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Continuation or <input type="checkbox"/> Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(b) of prior application:																							
Appln. No.: 10/036,460		Group Art Unit: 2829																					
Filed on: January 7, 2002		Examiner: Nguyen, Jimmy																					
Entitled: Semiconductor Integrated Circuit Device																							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1. The entire disclosure of the pending, prior application is hereby incorporated by reference. <input type="checkbox"/> 2. Submitted herewith is a copy of the complete prior application as filed. <input type="checkbox"/> 3. This application is filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior nonprovisional application, 37 CFR 1.53(b)(1). DELETE the following inventor(s): _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 4. Submitted herewith is a copy of the signed Oath/Declaration from the prior application. <input type="checkbox"/> 5. Small entity status was established in the prior application, and is still proper and desired. <input type="checkbox"/> 6. A __ month Petition for Extension of Time is filed concurrently in the prior application. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 7. The Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment and charge any deficiency in any fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and/or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 08-1480. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 8. A check in the amount of \$790.00 for filing and assignment fees is submitted herewith. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 9. Insert before the first sentence of the specification: - - This application is a Continuation of nonprovisional application serial number <u>10/036,460</u> filed <u>January 7, 2002</u> . <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 10. Cancel in this application original claims <u>1-10</u> of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 11. The prior application is assigned of record to: <u>Hitachi, Ltd.</u> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 12. Priority is claimed based on U.S. Application No. 10/036,460 filed on January 7, 2002, which claims the priority of Japanese patent application 2001-006558 filed January 15, 2001. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 13. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> 14. Other:																							
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